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ABSTRACT

5 A television schedule system and method for displaying  
television schedule information on a television screen includes  
a program guide having a schedule information area that depicts  
the programs that are being presented on each channel at each  
time during the day. An input device allows the viewer to move  
a pointer over different interactive areas of the guide and the  
10 function performed when the area is activated is displayed in a  
contextual help window. Various control glyphs provide for  
recursive interaction with the guide. Additionally, a video  
window is interactive and provides tuning functions.

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